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The Boosters at Ogallala.

The Ogallala News gives the North Platte boosters a nice write-up from which the following paragraphs are taken:

A live wire, multiplied one hundred and twenty-five times, is the only way to express the visit of North Platte Chamber of Commerce yesterday morning.

Their band was a corking good one and led the parade through the business section of the town.

They were out primarily to advertise the July 3d auto races, and the Lincoln County Fair, but every business man had some souvenir or advertising of his own business, pencils, pans, whistle, blotters, thimbles, cards, ice sets, etc.—something for man, woman or child. The editor was most kindly remembered by the Star Bottling and Mfg. Co.

North Platte boosters were only with us a half hour but they could give Lincoln and Omaha boosters cards spades, and then beat them at the game.

Road Graveling to Begin.

The wheels for the dump carts to be used in graveling the state aid road which had been delayed in shipment for several weeks, have been received and workmen are now uncovering the gravel deposit at Sutherland preparatory to graveling the Lincoln Highway from Sutherland to Hershey. A tractor of the catapillar type will be used in drawing the dump carts, five or six of the carts to form a train. Gravel for the highway east of Hershey will be obtained from gravel deposits at Nichols and Pallas or else screened from the river bed. Contractor Whelan has still some work to do on the highway east of Hershey before the road can be graveled.

For Sale—An outbuilding. Call 229W.

SHELL RIMMED GLASSES—are distinctive in appearance, permit the use of large lenses; and protect lenses against breakage. Come in and view the latest styles. Dixon & Son, Eye Specialists.

GOOD FELLOWSHIP TRIP

A TREMENDOUS SUCCESS.

The North Platte boosters returned last night at ten o'clock from their good fellowship trip to Scotts Bluff, with as much "pep" as when they left Wednesday morning accompanied by the good wishes of several hundred who had assembled to see them depart. Their return last night was announced by the strenuous whistle on the train, and by a long blast from the whistle at the waterworks. A big crowd had assembled at the depot to welcome the return of the pilgrims, who after debarking formed in line and paraded on Dewey street.

From start to finish the trip was a grand success, and the reception accorded the boosters at every stop was most hearty, big crowds turning out to extend a welcome. At Bayard the boosters were met at the depot by a big delegation headed by a band. At Sidney a prolonged stop was made in order to witness a ball game and this delaying the running schedule of the train resulted in arrival at Scotts Bluff two hours late and after the good people of the town had gone to bed.

The stunts featured by the boosters were extremely clever and provided much amusement for the assembled crowd at each stop. Dr. Kerr as the monkey man, Sam Souder as a tramp, R. C. Pratt arrayed as a woman with Joe Stone as her rube husband, R. D. Birge as a clown, Walter O'Connor as policeman, Victor Beck as drum major and Dr. Wurtele as parade marshal created much amusement and carried their roles in such a manner as to win hearty applause. Another feature used in the parades was Harry Porter's white horse mounted by an Indian, the animal performing in true circus style.

At every stop the Boosters were complimented on the success of the showing made, many declaring that as a whole it surpassed the excursions made by the Omaha and Lincoln commercial clubs.

Every booster who made the trip feels exceptionally well paid for the expenditure of time and money, and the success guarantees that hereafter the excursion will be a regular yearly affair.

WE DO NOT—sell \$5.00 glasses for \$1.00 nor \$1.00 glasses for \$5.00. Our prices are right and reasonable. Fair to you and to us. Dixon & Son, Eye Specialists.

20 bars laundry soap for \$1.00 at McMichael's Grocery. 42-8

Piano Recital.

A splendid program was enjoyed Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. L. Moran, when she and her pupils were heard in recital. The pupils showed excellent technical training and that the musical ability of each was being developed along their particular line.

The numbers by Mrs. Moran were especially enjoyed and the patrons expressed themselves as well pleased with the advancement that was being made.

The following pupils took part in the program: Viola Shank, Mary Louise Moran, Mildred Tyler, Bernadine Riggs, Marguerite Kinsman, Gertrude Mustard and Regina Walker. About thirty guests enjoyed the occasion.

Married Last Night.

Arthur B. Birk and Miss Marion Isabelle Faulkner, both of this city, were married at ten o'clock last night at the Episcopal church by Rev. Roland Mackintosh. The bride was attended by Miss Isabelle Doran, of Omaha, and the groom by his brother, Wilber Birk, of Grand Island. Guests at the ceremony were relatives of the contracting parties and intimate friends.

The couple left last night on a wedding trip to Denver, and upon their return will be at home, after July 10th, at 510 East Fourth street.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Margaret Faulkner, has spent her life in town and has many friends. The groom is a splendid young man who is employed by the Union Pacific in the capacity of locomotive fireman.

May Have New Chief.

If street reports are authentic, North Platte will have a new chief of police next Monday. Chief Winslow will present his resignation and it is understood that John Jones, will succeed him. Jones was chief under Mayor Waltemath, but was never given the credit his work deserved.

Growth of Plants.

Among plants, after the period of growth in spring and summer there is a period of dormancy before the cold weather sets in, and if plants are maintained artificially at a high temperature this dormant period persists. Exposure to cold is needed to activate the plant for another period of growth. Perhaps the liberation of enzymes acts on the stored starches, converting them into sugars, or the phenomenon may be due to a change in the permeability of the cell-membrane. Though normally the stimulus required for a renewal of growth is supplied by cold, mechanical injury or a period of drying may have the same effect. The process occurs independently in any exposed part of a plant, so that if one or two branches of a plant be kept continually warm while the other is subjected to the usual winter chilling, the former will not develop on the return of summer temperature though the latter develops as usual.

Hereford Bulls for Sale.

Fifteen head of registered Hereford Bulls from one to two years old. Address J. S. Koch, Hershey, Neb. 48-8

AT THE SUN THEATRE.

FRIDAY

"WOMAN"

STARRING

Florence Billings and Chester Barnett.

Also Mutt and Jeff Comedy

SATURDAY

"The Trembling Hour"

STARRING

Kenneth Harlan and Helen Eddy

Also "STUNG," Gale Henry

MONDAY

"LES MISERABLES"

STARRING

WILLIAM FARNUM

ALSO

Elmo the Fearless.

MISS LILLIAN CURRY WEDDED

YESTERDAY FORENOON.

Yesterday forenoon at eleven o'clock Miss Lillian Curry, of Washington, D. C., became the bride of John Robert Eklund, of Kansas City, the ceremony taking place at the Presbyterian manse and Rev. Dr. Curry, father of the bride, officiating. For the happy occasion the rooms had been prettily decorated in white and pink. The bride was gowned in mullon silk and headed georgette and carried bride's roses. There were no attendants.

Following the ceremony a dinner was served, and at noon Mr. and Mrs. Eklund left for Des Moines where they will meet and join a party of Kansas City friends who are enroute by auto to the lakes of northern Minnesota where they will spend their honeymoon.

The acquaintance which led to this consummation was formed in Kansas City several years ago when Dr. and Mrs. Curry and daughter were residents of that city.

Mrs. Eklund for two years past had been employed in the insurance section of the war department at Washington, holding the position of assistant to the manager. She is a very attractive, bright and accomplished young woman, and though her brief visits here gave opportunity to meet but few of our people, those who met her were very favorably impressed.

Mr. Eklund is a wholesale buyer and shipper of hay in Kansas City and has been very successful in this line.

Following their visit at the Minnesota lakes Mr. and Mrs. Eklund will be at home in Kansas City.

Some Stores to Close.

The Tribune is requested to state that not all stores of the city will remain open on the afternoon of July 3d. A list of those which will close will be published next week.

Dr. L. J. KRAUSE, Dentist. McDonald Bank Building. Rooms 2 & 3. Phone 97. 42tf

For Sale

6 room house—all modern except heat. Corner lot and shade trees. Price \$5300. 404 West 2nd. Inquire of G. C. Donehower. 47tf

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. A. H. McMullen and sons left Wednesday for Perry, Ia., where they will visit relatives for two weeks.

All hats for children, twelve years old and under, will go for one-half price at the Leader Mercantile Co.

For Rent—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 1203 W. Third, phone 831W.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Logan went to Fremont yesterday on business. They will return July first and locate here permanently.

Children's ready-to-wear and trimmed to order hats, will be on sale at One-Half price Friday and Saturday, Leader Mercantile Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Baker, who had been visiting relatives in town, left this morning for their home in Washington, D. C. Mrs. Baker was formerly Miss Ida Carroll.

Wanted—Girls for nurse training; \$35 per month with board and room. Apply at General Hospital, City. 46tf

Congressman Kinkaid writes The Tribune that he will leave Washington for Nebraska in a few days and will remain until the commencement of the next session of congress. His office in Washington will be kept open by his help and all departmental matters will receive prompt attention. Official letters should be addressed to him at Washington as usual.

Keith, Saturday.

"Mothers of Men"

a beautiful love story mingling with swift and compelling action. The zenith of photoplays.

SUNSHINE COMEDY—

Love's Harvest.

ATTENTION!

NORTH PLATTE GIRLS AND BOYS!

DO YOU WANT TO JOIN THE CAMP FIRE GIRLS OR THE BOY SCOUTS?

If so, cut out the coupon below and mail it to ELMER STEPHENS, Box 255, North Platte, Nebr. He will tell you how those 12 to 18 years may join.

Coupon

I would like to join the (Camp Fire Girls) (Boy Scouts) as soon as possible. I was _____ years old my last birthday. My Father's name is _____ We live at _____ Our Phone is _____ My Name is _____

Keith, Monday and Tuesday.

"Silk Husbands and Calico Wives"

With

HOUSE PETERS

He was a "silk husband" and she was a "calico wife"—but sometimes calico wears longer than silk.

Crystal, Saturday and Monday.

TOM MIX

—IN—

"Fame and Fortune"

A Real Western Picture.

Also the comedy—A Restaurant Riot.



SCENE FROM
MACK SENNETT'S
Five Reel Comedy Sensation
DOWN ON THE FARM

AT THE SUN, TWO DAYS,
Commencing Tuesday, June 29th.

Matinee 2:00 p. m. and 3:30 p. m.

SPECIAL PRICES

ON

Silk Waists and Fancy Silk Skirts

We are putting Special Prices on our stock of Silk Waists and Fancy Silk Skirts right at the time the weather is getting warm enough to make them desirable. These goods are

Strictly High-Grade Lines

from the best makers, not the flimsy light weight silks made up for sales. There is too large an assortment to quote prices on each item. Come in and see them and you will not be disappointed.

Wilcox Department Store